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#### DO NOT FORGET CHARITY.

An appeal has been made by the Central Relief Association for funds. As an organized charity, the association has accomplished a great deal for the needy of the Capital. The winter has been unusually rigorous, creating an extraordinary demand for relief, and the organization has exhausted its treasury in supplying those who through misfortune have been placed in a more or less dependent condition.

In the enthusiasm 'or progress, for material development and social betterment, it is to be hoped that Washingtonians will not forget that there are other things to be considered. A community that has no heart for the poor will never make any genuine progress. It is as much of a duty to feed the hungry, clothe the unclothed, and comfort the sick as it is to plan for fine buildings and superb parks.

A city that is quick with the spirit of humanitarianism is blessed in its progress and development. One of the best features of the better civilization is the appreciation of the people for the instinct which moves men and women to the succor of those who really need assistance.

### HOMAGE TO AMERICAN HEROES.

When Prince Henry of Prussia listened with appreciation to the eloquence of John Hay on the life and services of America's latest hero, and when he placed upon the tomb of the first President a floral tribute, he touched the hearts of the people of the United States.

Despite London innuendo and the paroxysms of anti-foreign orators within the domain of Uncle Sam, the American people have enough generosity to believe that even a scion of royalty can pay tribute to the great men of a democracy without barboring an ulterior motive.

Uncrowned though he was, except with the love and appreciation of his comrades and his people, Washington was a monarch, in the figurative sense, as great as ever breathed the pure air of heaven. If ever man led men by "divine right" Washington did. And he led them into the green pastures of liberty and equality.

William McKinle , 100, was a regal leader. Without the ermine, he had the homage and devotion of men. Prince Henry, of royal blood, did honor to himself as well as to the illustrious dead when he paid homage to their

## TROUBLES OF GENIUS IN NAMING AN INVENTION.

ways end with the securing of a patent the mill and coming out aerography, and the marketing of his device, says rerelogy, aerographology, and even "The North American Inventor." There (shudder, O ye shades of Morse!) "sansis that hydra-headed literary difficulty wireography?" Who does not remember from which the strongest shrink—"the the fever of naming the vehicle which naming of the baby." Few new owners moves with a power contained within itof a gift of the stork spend more time self? The advertising pages of any magain anxious thought than does the unhappy | zine contain the defunct suggestions, reinventor who cannot find either in his own | habilitated and provided with new life as thoughts or the suggestions of his friends | the trade names of particular varieties of the proper appellation for the child of his

And some of the names which are finally chosen are the height of absurdity. Why should an unsuspecting public be compelled to twist its tongue to the pronunciation of such anachronisms as "telegraphony," the science of a new instru-

Not in the Patriot Class.

ble for many atrocities. At any rate,

Meteor's Anticipated Triumphs.

pected that the Meteor will defeat the

erack British schooner yachts. If it does

A Startling Metamorphosis.

Documentary Evidence Called For.

Nashville Banner-Miss Stone has actu

ally been released, but many people will

probably not believe the good news, so

Mr. Roosevelt and the Veto.

Atlanta Constitution-Various newspa-

everything that Congress is preparing to

ever, he will be very chary of monkeying

Deficient Horse Traders.

San Francisco Chronicle-Great Britain

may get out of the scandal in the War

Office over the high price paid for horses

without smirching any officers, but it can

hardly conceal the fact that some of them

were very poor hands at a horse trade.

send down the Avenue. We think, how

New York Evening Telegram-It is ex-

an unfortunate patriot.

our own Pat Crowe!

telling all about it.

with the N. G. button.

Baltimore American-With the firm of

The troubles of an inventor do not al- | "Wireless telegraph" is going through the automobile

Here is a chance for a brand new business. Let some enterprising student who knows Latin and Greek, and Sanskrit, and the Umballala idiom announce the discovery of the science of naming things—say "titology," or "appelaography"—and proceed to name their devices for desperate inventors. A charge of \$1 per letter or "telautographical," describing \$5 per syllable might be arranged by law writing sent over a wire, or "teleacro-gram," the name of the product of a new engraving machine? Why this overwork-ing of "tele?"

to keep the names simple! They might do good and could not inflict on a help-less world any more outrageous names than those at present chosen by the makers of the new and useful.

# GOVERNMENT OF THE CAPITAL'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS

By H. H. TWOMBLY, Ex-Secretary of the Public Schools of the District of Columbia.

There should be the same pleasant relations and perfect harmony existing in our schools as exists in model homes, if we are to give our country good citizens - good men and refined women.

It is admitted by nearly everyone that our District government is a model form of government. Then why should the same system not possess the like advantages if applied to the government of public schools?

brought together.

proper method of managing our public schools is one of the most important questions of the day.

One of the two greatest evils exists in nearly every school community, i. e., insufficient government or too much government.

There is no question as to the latter evil being the greater of the two, as that condition deprives the teachers, the large majority of whom are much more competent than the governing power, of exereising any discretion, but, on the contrary, binds them down to impractical and irritating rules, which condition impairs their efficiency and unfits them for the best work.

On the other hand, if the control be lax and indifferent, the teacher | patronage of his profession or callmay exercise judgment, based on training and experience, as well as use discretion without the fear of dismissal for insubordination.

The greatest and most serious and most lasting evil of improper government and conflict in our schools is the bad impresion left on the minds of pupils. Such impressions during childhood are not easily cured, but jare carried into and the fault lies in too large a

board or between the board and the instructors is soon known to every pupil. Therefore, there should be the same pleasant relations and perfect harmony existing in our schools as exists in model homes, if we are to give to our country good citizens-good men and refined women.

In nine cases out of ten, school

boards are composed either of politicians or favorites of the appointing power, merit and fitness being of the least importance. The result is the board or organization is soon divided into factions, each working and dickering for some selfish purpose or some pet scheme, or else using his position to augment the ing, or trying to force some foolish fad or impractical idea into the schools, while the most troublesome member of all is the one who is always hunting for trouble and frauds and never finding them. The true purpose for which they should labor-a perfect school system-is entirely overlooked.

These conditions are caused by

The best and, therefore, the | after life, or manhood and woman- | membership in the governing body, hood. And discord in the school | The larger the body the greater number of conflicting elements are

> The model method, therefore, for the government of public schools, and especially those of cities and large towns, is by three commissioners, one of whom should give his entire time and attention to the schools, being prohibited from engaging in any other business, and the other two should act as advisers. Meetings should be held often, daily if deemed expedient. They should be selected entirely on the ground of merit and their peculiar fitness for the work, and should be well paid for their ser-The advantages of this system

would be that all sections would receive conal consideration and advantages, and the strong man from some particular ward or school district would not be there to try to secure everything for his section. It is admitted by nearly everyone that our District government is a model form of government. Then why should the same system not possess the like advantages if ap-plied to the government of public

# DOINGS IN THE WORLD OF SOCIETY.

Italian Ambassador and Signora des Planches Guests of Honor at Dinner Given by Mrs. D. D. Colton.

Cards Issued for an Exhibition of Original Drawings of Chinese and Philippine Campaigns by Mr. Sydney Adamson-Merrymakers'

Club Entertained by Mrs. Eva Emmerson, of Richmond, Va.

#### Bazaar and Tea at Rauscher's.

this afternoon will be the bazaar and tea at Rauscher's for the benefit of the Home for Incurables.

Mrs. Smart, wife of Dr. Robert Smart, United States Army, will not be at home this afternoon

Dr. Smart will entertain a number of gentlemen friends at dinner tomorrow

#### Italian Ambassador as Guest.

Mrs. D. D. Colton, who has reopened her closed during her absence abroad, entertained at dinner Thursday evening, Ambassador and Signora des Planches. Other guests present were: Justice and Mrs. McKenna, General and Mrs. Miles, Commander and Mrs. Remey, Senator and Mrs. Hansbrough, Surgeon General and Mrs. Sternberg, Judge and Mrs. Howry, Baron and Baroness Pastelli, Mr. Bancroft, Mr. Emmons, and Mrs. McLean Martin.

### Returns From New York.

Miss Marie La Preux has returned from her trip to New York.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J.

#### Mr. and Mrs. Melchior Give a Tea.

Melchior last Tuesday evening a tea was given by Mrs. John A. Moreland in honor of her sister, Miss Lillian Melchior, and her friend, Miss Florence L. Lowry, who have lately returned from Maryland, after having been icebound for about two weeks. The spacious parlor and dining rooms were tastefully decorated in pink, the table being adorned with pink carnations and roses. Trailing vines of smilax fell from the chandeller in the centre of the room and were caught on either side of the table with bows of pink ribbon. In the games the first prize was won by Miss Florence L. Lowry. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John

A. Moreland, Mr. and Mrs. John Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Millar, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Wright, the Misses Lillian Melchior, Florence L. Lowry, Dorothy Howard, Bessie Almore, Alice Carpenter, Edna Severn, and the Messrs. George Everett, Charles Howard, George Mei-chlor, Alfred Lawrence, Edgar Handy, and Dr. Joseph R. Abbott, of Maryland.

announced yesterday:

#### | Entertain Merrymakers

A social and charitable happening of On Wednesday evening last the Merrymakers were entertained by Mrs. Eva Emmerson, of Richmond, Va., at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Riddick, 801 E Street southwest. The meeting was called to order by President Leonard P. Steuart, first in order being the election of officers. The following officers were re-elected by a unanimous vote: Messrs. Leonard P. Steuart, president; Walter R. Harr, vice president; Charles E. Engle, secretary; James I. Chaney, treasurer.

Mrs. Eva Emmerson, who was formerly a member of the Merrymakers, was presented with a handsome silver bon-bon Connecticut Avenue home, which has been dish as a testimonial of the many pleasant memories of her associations with the club. The presentation was made when her guests of honor were the Italian by Mr. Charles N. Phelips, who expressed the good wishes of the club in a few well chosen words.

The evening was passed in games and other amusements. Later refreshments were served. Among those present were Mrs. Eva Emmerson, Mrs. Riddick Mrs. Charles Long, Mrs. Musselman, Mrs. Thrift, the Misses Musselman, Olive Ty-ler, Edith Page, Nellie C. Lee, and Ann Leaman, Messrs. R. E. Hamerdinger, William J. Krouse, J. R. Brown, F. H. Heidenrich, T. H. Herbert, W. Lynbam, Albert Leaman, J. W. Hendricks, and Mr. Points.

The next meeting will be with Miss Edith Page, 1941 Vermont Avenue north-west, March 5.

### Exhibition of Drawings.

Mr. S. J. Venable has issued cards of invitation to view a number of original drawings of the Chinese and Philippine campaigns, by Mr. Sydney Adamson, war correspondent, at the Venable Art Galleries, 604 Ninth Street. The exhibit will last from March 3 to March 15.

### At Home.

CIVIL SERVICE TREASURY APPOINTMENTS.

Mrs. Eichhorn, assisted by Miss Stoer and Mr. and Mrs. Schempf, will be at home, corner First and K Streets northwest, this afternoon

Mrs. Herbert C. Sanford and her little daughter, Elizabeth Haines Santord, of Knoxville, Tenn, are the guests of Mrs. E. A. Haines, at 505 C Street southeast, and will be informally at home to friends on Tuesday, March 4, from 3 to 6, and 7 to 10 n.m.

## PROGRESS OF THE MOVEMENT TO PENSION THE CLERKS.

tablish a pension system for Government clerks. The following communication from the president of the United States Civil Service Retirement Association indicates that the movement is making progress, and its advocates are hopeful that it will ultimately be successful.

### By J. W. STARR,

President United States Civil Service Retirement Association.

Thinking that many of the thousands of those in Washington and elsewhere who are interested in a measure for the retirement of superannuated Government employes may be misled by the article over the signature of Joseph Trainor, in your issue of the 27th instant, I beg.to say, as president of the United States Civil Service Retirement Asso ciation, that there are not, and never have been, any dissensions among the members of the committee having the matter in charge.

A more harmonious committee never existed. Nor is it true that 'so far as that committee is concerned, the clerks' cause is hopeless.' On the contrary, the progress made is highly satisfactory to all concerned, and the committee hopes and expects to be in a position at no far distant date to present to Congress, through proper channels, a bill that will fulfill all requirements.

## UNDER THE CAPITOL DOME.

## California's Big Trees,

have Congress take some action which will valuable this session, and it is thought the trees stand, and that they should be which the Senate was afraid to do anylooked after and cared for as one of the thing more than meet and adjourn, for wonders of the world. Public sentiment in fear of bringing on an unpleasant party California is so strong that peop.

It is rare that a session is near that a session is near that a session is near that a urday, but today will be an exception to destroyed, but to ensure safety, the San the rule. No motion to adjourn over until Monday was made yesterday. California is so strong that people would discussion

the big tree forest. Speaking of these marvels of forestry Mr. Kahn tells an interesting story of the discovery of the big trees. Ahunter in the early days wandered from the usual trail, and by accident came upon these giants of the forest. He looked at them with wonder and amazement, and for a time could scarce believe his own existence. He retraced his steps, marking the way, and journeyed back to the settle-ment. He felt certain that no one would be credulous enough to believe him if he caused a stated that he had found trees 300 feet like this:

He was not sure but that if he returned with such a narrative people would not consider him insane; certainly he thought they would regard him as a lineal descendent of Ananias, so he reported only to be so plausible a story that five or six men consented to accompany him to the spot where he stated the bear lay. Upon reaching the forest the hunter pointed out the enormous trees, and then told his comthe enormous trees, and then told his com-panions why he had deceived them with the story of the hear.

All the report made him call the two South Carolina Semetors to order for an offence which, according to the report.

Among the local bills recently introuced in the House none has caused more talk than the "No seat no fare" bill which is now before the House District Committee. The author of the measure. A Fast Train. recovered from the shock, but has suf- Representative Albert A. Blakeney of the Second Congressional district of Maryland, says the bill is practical and that he will press it. The street railway companies in the District should put on a sufcient number of cars to accommodate the traffic, and then, he said, everybody

Mr. Blakeney is preparing another bill which he will introduce in a few days. It is to require every street car company in the District to furnish an all-night ser-Miss Caroline Livingston Bagaley, who has spent the winter in New York with her aunt, Mrs. Shirley Goldsborough, has returned to her home in this city.

The Most Rev. Archbishop Kain and the Rev. Father Phelan, both of St. Louis. the Rev. Father Phelan, both of St. Louis, were visitors at Georgetown University Thursday. They took dinner with the faculty and departed for Builtimore last introduce the bill. Mr. Blakeney believes far's sah, dat it take two men to see her the Rev. Archibecture of the service, and it is for these people he will elber did see, sah. Why, dat train go so

Representative Kahn, the popular mem- The Senate has lost nearly a week over ber from the Golden Gate, is anxious to the Tillman-McLaurin episode. Time is preserve the big trees of California. He likely that the usual Saturday holiday believes that a national park should be will be dispensed with for a month or established to include the forest where more, to make up for the days during

President pro tem. Frye of the Senate rules that it is impossible for the official reporters of the Senate to take down a stenographic report of a one-round fight between Senators on the floor, even though the encounter shall occur during a ses-

Mr. Frye made his rule vesterday. It caused a laugh. The manner of it was The Clerk was reading to the Senate

the report of the Committee on Privileges and Elections on the Tillman-McLaurin "scrap." The report contained the full official report of all the debate bearing on the incident, including the talk immedithat he had killed a gigantic grizzly bear, one so large that it would require five or six men to bring in the heast. This proved the actual exchange of blows. The committee, in quoting the record, had for some reason omitted the few naive words of the reporter describing the en-counter until the end of the entire story. Mr. Teller objected to this. He stated

> they had not yes committed.
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> The Presiding Officer then made his explanation: "The reason of the error, it will be seen, is that there is no way for

Representative Swanson is one of the

in the corridor of a New York hotel, he shook his fist in his face, accused him of unfair hostility to the Chinese, and told him to "get off the earth and sit dowr."

The Archbisbop is enjoying a brief vacation. Father Phelan is editor of the nation should furnish an all-night of the "Western Watchman," published him to "get off the earth and sit dowr."

Introduce the bill. Mr. Blakeney believes the street car companies of the Capital going by, sah, one ter say, 'Here she come,' and de yuther ter holler, 'Dar she say of the carbinate of the car

## An Appeal for Fractional Currency. By MR. W. C. DODGE.

A bill has been introduced to coin half cent pieces, but why I cannot imagine, as they are not needed, and no one wants them. When I went down the Mississip-

pi in 1849, I was surprised in making a small purchase at Quiney, III., to have the merchant refuse to receive cents in making change. Whether such is still the practice there I cannot say. Later, on the Pacific Coast, I found that neither paper money nor cents would pass at all, and I understand that cents are not used there to this day.

When in California in 1849 and 1850 I saw men with large rolls of bank bills, which were worthless, as no one would take them. They were generally kept as curiosities on the gambling tables, gambling being then a very prevalent business, and was considered legitimate by most people.

If Congress wants to do something to accommodate the public it should provide for the issue of fractional currency, such as we had during and after the war.

There has never been anything in the shape of money that was such a convenience to the public, or that was so profitable to the Government. It is infinitely more convenient for the mass of the people and less expensive for the Government than postal orders or currency. Why, then, not let us have it? There is no more reason why we should not have fractions of the dollar in paper than there is why we should not have paper multiples of the dollar-twos, fives, tens, etc. It would save a vast amount of time both to the public and the officials, and be one of the greatest conveniences we could have. I never could understand why its issue was abandoned.

## LINCOLN'S DIGNITY.

There remains in some quarters an impression that in his personal manner and address Abraham Lincoln was too brusquely, sometimes even offensively, amiliar with his daily associates, but cerainly no person could appear less throughout all his correspondence and of-ficial utterances. Even in informal and purely personal matters his numerous notes and telegrams to his closest friends were always most respectful and dignified, if anything, too stiffly formal.

Periodically a story goes the rounds of Periodically a story goes the rounds of the public press in which the President addresses his Secretary of War as "Dear Stanton," directing him to appoint a cer-tain man chaplain in the army. In due course Stanton replies: "Dear Mr. Lin-coln: He is not a preacher." There is further correspondence between "Dear Stanton" and "Dear further correspondence between "Dear Stanton" and "Dear Mr. Lincoln" on the Stanton" and 'Dear Mr. Lincoln' on the subject, finally culminating in Stanton re-fusing point blank to appoint the Fresi-dent's friend to the chaplaincy. This is to show how yielding Lincoln was, and at the same time Stanton's masterful po-tition in the Cabinat. sition in the Cabinet.

he would have done it very quickly, despite Mr. Stenton's opposition.
In fact, Lincoln never started even the

most hasty note "Dear Seward," or "Dear Stanton," or "Dear Halleck," as under the circumstances at times might have been clearly permissible. They were almost invariably addressed "Hen. Secre tary of State, My Dear Sir," or "Hon. Secretary of War," or "Major General Secretary of War," or "Major General Halleck," or if the name was used it was "Hon, William H. Seward," or "Hon, Edwin M. Stanton," as the case might be, ex-actly as they are quoted in this article, which are typical of his whole correspond-

Lincoln was too serious a man himself to imagine that he could with impunity underrate the dignity of others.-Lippin

The following changes in the classified \$720 to \$200; Miss R. E. Woolverton, Misservice of the Treasury Department were appropried testerday:

storic Virginia, \$700 to \$900; Miss E. E. Johnston, Virginia, \$700 to \$900; Miss M. C. Appointments—
Appointments—
On certification by the Civil Service
Commission: Charles F. Sponsler, PennState Commission: Charles F. Sponsler, Penn-

\$900, office of Auditor for War Depart-

Promotions-Secretary's office: John H. Matson, \$720 to \$1,600; Miss Mary M. Hoover, District to \$1,000; Miss Mary M. Robert Dis-of Columbia, \$620 to \$720; Miss Sophie bia, \$548 to \$720; Miss M. A. Facer, Dis-Weber, District of Columbia, \$620 to \$720; trict of Columbia, \$626 to \$720; Mrs. S. E-nest Satterly, Louisiana, \$660 to \$1,000. E. Harding, Maine, \$626 to \$720; Miss E. Supervising Architect's office: Harwood Supervising Architect's office: Harwood Graves, Virginia, \$1,000 to \$1,200; Miss L. I. Reece, Massachusetts, \$470 to \$720; Miss Cassle - Harrigan, Pennsyl-Florence Davies, District of Columbia, vania, \$626 to \$720; Miss Emma Martin, \$1,200 to \$1,400.

Coast, and Geodetic Survey: F. F. Weld. Pennsylvania, \$500 to \$1,200; H. W. Rhodes, California, \$900 to \$1,200; W. H. Burger, Colorado, \$720 to \$990; B. A. Baird, Texas, \$720 to \$900

Office of Auditor for the Interior Department: W. W. Wild, California, \$660 to

ment: James L. Vilde, Texas, \$840 to

office of the Treasurer of the United

to \$2.500 Parley H. Eaton, New York, \$1,800 to \$2,250; A. L. Swartwout, Illinois, \$1,600 to \$1,800; Lemuel Adams, Illinois, \$1,600 to \$1,800; Miss Emma Cilley, Mich-'gan, \$1,400 to \$1,600; William H. Walton, New Jersey, \$1,400 to \$1,600; Alex McB. Peeples, South Carolina, \$1,200 to \$1,400; Frank M. Skinner, District of Columbia, \$1,200 to \$1,400; Miss Mary Leet, Michigan, \$1,000 to \$1,200; John W. Ewing, Tennessee, \$1,000 to \$1,200; Miss Mary Cushman, Massachusetts, \$1,000 to \$1,200; Miss Louise B. Hunter, Michigan, \$1,000 to \$1,200; Harry H. Hulbirt, Pennsylvania, \$1,000 to \$1 200; Luman Carpenter, Texas, \$1,000 to \$1,200; William E. Lands, Pennsylvania, \$1,009 to \$1,200; Miss R. F. Clarke, New Jersey, \$900 to \$1,000; Miss Josephine Miller, Colorado, \$900 to \$1,000; Will S. Elliott, Georgia, \$900 to \$1,000; Miss Anna B. Adams, District of Columbia, \$960 to \$1,000; Mrs. R. M. Bonsal, Kansas, \$900 Representative Swanson is one of the Southern members who understands the colored brother about as well as any of his colleagues in the House. He is able to affect a negro dialect which would be worth no small sum to the average minstrel. The other day he was felling some to \$1,000; Miss G. C. Angel, Maryland, Missouri, \$900 to \$1,000; B. P. Hickox. Snead, South Carolina, \$900 to \$1,000.

Frank C. Larrimore, Ohio, \$840 to \$900 W. L. Alexander, Texas, \$840 to \$900; Chas Gulliksen, North Dakota, \$729 to \$900; Carney M. Layne, Ohlo, \$720 to \$900; Miss Kate Swearingen, Illinois, \$720 to \$906; Miss Elsie V. Moore, Illineis, \$720 to \$900; Mrs. E. M. Harwood, New York, \$720 to \$900; Miss M.E.Givaudin, New Jersey, \$720 to \$900; Miss M. E. Gillon, New York, \$720 to \$900; Miss Gertrude W. Allison, District of Columbia, \$720 to \$900; Miss M. A. Kelly, Maryland, \$720 to \$900; Miss Idabelle Heinline, District of Colum-bia, \$720 to \$900; Miss Bertha J. Shaw, District of Columbia, \$720 to \$900; Miss Georgie M. Cummins, District of Columbia, \$720 to \$900; William J. French, Min-nesota, \$720 to \$900; Mrs. H. P. Colton, District of Columbia, \$720 to \$900; Miss E. F. Moulton, District of Columbia, \$720 to \$900; Miss H. E. Ireland, New York, a few days,

\$1,500, National Bureau of \$840.

sylvania, \$1,500, National Bureau of Standards: Miss Adelaide G. King, Washington, \$620, Secretary's office; Benton C., Gardner, Indiana, \$700, Treasurer's office; William H. Kelieher, Michigan, \$700, Treasurer's office.

By transfer from other departments:
H. Irving Loving, Virginia, \$720, office of Auditor for the Postoffice Department, from Civil Service Commission: Henry H. Tailmadge, jr., Pennsylvania, \$720, office of Auditor for the Postoffice Department, from Civil Service Commission: Henry H. Tailmadge, jr., Pennsylvania, \$720, office of Auditor for the Postoffice Department, from Civil Service Commission: Smith D. Fry, Iowa, \$1,400, office of the Auditor for the Postoffice Department, from Civil Service Commission: Miss Department, from Civil Service Commission: Henry H. Tailmadge, jr., Pennsylvania, \$720, office of Auditor for the Postoffice Department, from Civil Service Commission: Henry H. Tailmadge, jr., Pennsylvania, \$720, office of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss C. E. Sauter, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss C. E. Taylor, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Mary F. Abern, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Miss C. E. Taylor, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Miss C. E. Taylor, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Miss C. E. Taylor, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Miss Catharine Tennant, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Catharine Tennant, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss A. F. Speer, Virginia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Grace M. Taylor, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Catharine Tennant, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$720; Miss Catharine Tennant, District of Columbia, Mrs. Catharine Tennant, District of Cothe Postoffice Department, from Postoffice Department: Harlow L. Street, California, \$900. office of Auditor for War Department; F. C. Fowler, District of Columbia, \$660 to \$900. office of Auditor for War Department. \$900, office of Auditor for War Department, from War Department; William O. Engler, New Jersey, \$1,400, Treasurer's office, from Government Printing Office.

\$120 Miss M. E. Popley, Virginia, \$600 to \$720 Miss M. E. Williams, District of Columbia, \$600 to \$720; Miss M. E. Houston, Georgia, \$560 to \$720; Miss Annie E. Mantz, District of Columbia

\$660 to \$720; Miss S. T. Doyle, Virginia, \$660 to \$720. Mrs. Emma Brodie, District of Colum-Schofield, Pennsylvania, \$626 to \$720; District of Columbia \$626 to \$726: Miss Cornelia R. Knight, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$720; Miss C. B. McKnight, Ohio, \$625 to \$720; Miss F. R. Harris, Ohio, \$625 to \$720; Miss M. J. Brenner, District of Columbia, \$626 to \$720; Miss M. E. Brown, Georgia, \$825 to \$720; Miss Eliza-beth McHugh, New York, \$626 to \$720; Miss A. E. Sommers, Maryland, \$626 to \$720; Robert Schumacker, Missouri, \$650 Office of Auditor for Fostoffice Depart-of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Miss A. M. colclarier, District of Columbia, \$646 to Colclarier, District of Columbia, \$626 to ment: James L. Vilde, Texas, \$840 to Colemns, District of Co-\$900; Thomas S. Malion, Illinois, \$720 to lembia, \$626 to \$650; Mrs. K. V. Scheyer, Pennsylvania, \$548 to \$660; Miss Jennie Payne, District of Columbia, \$626 to \$660; States: John W. Lowell, Illinois, \$1,800 Miss Kate Moriarity, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Miss Rose E. Melling, District of Columbia, \$470 to \$660, Miss Delia Costello, District of Colum-

bia \$626 to \$660; Miss N. E. Cranston Virginia, \$548 to \$660; Miss A. L. Daly, Pistrict of Columbia, \$626 to \$660; Miss B. C. Howlett, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Mrs. K. P. Hughes, Maryland, \$548 to \$660; Miss Sidney L. Culverwell, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Mrs. A. B. Clarke, Maryland, \$648 to \$660; Miss Eliza Johnson, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Miss N. M. Taylor, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Miss Annie C. Cline, District of Columbia, \$626 to \$660; Miss Mary McNamara, District of Co-

Miss M. M. Willis, District of Columbia, \$470 to \$660; Mrs. Catharine Lynch, Distriet of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Mrs Murray, New York, \$470 to \$560; Miss R. Kearon, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Mrs. F. L. Shelmire, Pennsylvania, \$548 to \$660; Miss V. L. White, Virginin, \$626 to \$660; Miss M. I. Whiteley, Maryland, \$470 to \$660; Miss L. A. Weber, District of Columbia, \$470 to \$660; Miss M. J. Thomas, District of Columbia, \$470 to \$660; Miss Ellen T. Harnett, District of Columbia, \$626 to \$660; Miss Mary Corridon, District of Columbia, \$626 to 2660; Miss H. L. Thomas, District of Columbia, \$470 to \$550; Miss A. M. Riley, Ohio, \$548 to \$560; Miss B. E. Reeves, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Miss S. J. Hill, District of Columbia, \$470 Griffin, District of Columbia, \$548

Miss E. V. Pendleton, Maryland, \$470 to \$660; Miss C. L. Jaques, District of Columbia, \$470 to \$660; Miss C. T. Galla-gher, District of Columbia, \$625 to \$660; Mrs. M. A. Brown, Pennsylvania, \$548 to \$660; Miss E. E. Cruit, Maryland, \$626 to \$660; Miss E. E. Cruit, Maryland, \$626 to \$660; Miss Agnes F. Lockle, Pennsylvania, \$548 to \$660; Miss Loula Collins, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Miss Julia L. Connor, District of Columbia, \$548 to \$660; Jeremiah A. Lee, Connecticut, \$1,252 to \$1,400; Albert J. Cullen, Pennsylvania, \$1,252 to \$1,400; Hugh J. Farley, Pennsyl-

## From Philadelphia.

Mr. Joseph Phillips and Mr. William Gross, of Philadelphia, are in the city for

### Minister Wu's Americanization. Philadelphia Times-Certainly Mr. Wu

is a mighty convincing example of the possibility of Americanizing the Chinese. Meeting Mayor Phelan, of San Francisco, in the corridor of a New York hotel, he

The Only Fireproof Buildings.

Cured of Octophobia. Baltimore Herald-Strange are the mu- | New York Mail and Express-Slowly but tations of the times and the customs when surely the conviction is being borne in one reads of ex-Governor Hogg of Texas upon us that the Washington Monument. dining with nobility and reveling in the Eiffel Tower, and the Pyramids of Egypt are the only "fireproof" buildings

Current Press Comment.

## that are fireproof.

- Test of Christianity. Pittsburg Dispatch—The question is Aguinaldo & Lukban out of business, the work of pacification in the Philippines raised in Kansas whether a man can be ought to be easier. Even the anti-im- a Christian on \$5 per week. Inasmuch perialistic friends of the Filipinos should as the ideal Christian quality is selfbe glad of this recent capture, since Luk- denial and abnegation the question might ban is said to be one of the most fero- as pertinently be whether he can be anyclous of the native leaders and responsi- thing else.

### no sympathy need be wasted on him as Personal Notes About

Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Street have returned

Washington People.

the humiliation may be lightened a bit from a visit to New Orleans and Mobile. from the fact that the craft wasn't "made Miss Florence Raymond, of Racine, Wis., is the guest of Miss Grace Lee, of 139 Massachusetts Avenue.

Butte Inter-Mountain - What if Mr. Tailka, who has been arrested for kid-Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Parsons have napping Miss Stone, should turn out to be returned from Palm Beach. While South they viewed the Mardi Gras at New Or leans and visited the Charleston Exposi-

Mrs. Mary F. Powell has been called to her home, near Glymont, Md., by the seoften before heraided and denied, until rious illness of her mother, Mrs. Gardner, who was thrown from her carriage early they read the lady's magazine articles in the winter. Mrs. Gardner apparently

fered a relapse. Mr. and Mrs. Corryton M. Woodbury pers are inviting Teddy to veto almost of Middleshero, Ky., are guests of Mrs. Belle Rodes McDowell at the Lenox.

Mr. George F. Tuckerman has taken a cottage at Asbury Park for the coming season. The family summer home, on the Rockville Road, will be occupied by Mr. 'uckerman's brother, Albert Tuckerman of Minneapolis, who will take possession about the 1st of May. Mr. Albert Tucker-man has not visited his old home for over ifteen years.

Senate Abandons Saturday Holiday

## Mr. Frve's Rule on Fisticuffs.

the official reporters to make a steno

# graphic report of a personal encounter.

could be provided with a seat. But unless compares takes some action, he contends, the street car companies will continue to do just as they please.

Strel. The other day he was telling some whatever. Lincoin's correspondence is proof positive of this. It also pretty darkey who was testifying in a case down in Virginia is which he was interested. The matter before the court related to a railroad accident, and quite naturally the speed of the train was a question at issue.